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Enclosed for filing please find the following:

- 1. Reply to Final Action (2 pages);
- 2. Supplemental Declaration, signed by Peter A. Altman, inventor (3 pages); and
- 3. Return Receipt Postcard.

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